

yards of the mouth of Frank bridge run, or within three hundred yards of the first hedge in the Big swamp run.

Penalty.

SEC. 2. That any person violating any of the provisions of this act shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof in any court of competent jurisdiction, shall be fined not exceeding fifty dollars or imprisoned not exceeding ten days.

Repeal.

SEC. 3. All laws and clauses of laws conflicting with this act are hereby repealed.

SEC. 4. This act shall go into effect from and after its ratification.

Ratified the 5th day of March, A. D. 1875.

## CHAPTER XCVI.

AN ACT TO INCORPORATE THE GOLDEN LYRE LODGE, NUMBER ONE THOUSAND SIX HUNDRED AND EIGHT, GRAND UNITED ORDER OF ODD FELLOWS, OF WILMINGTON, NORTH CAROLINA.

Body politic.

SECTION 1. *The General Assembly of North Carolina do enact*, That C. E. Walker, J. M. L. Merrick, Tom Lee, Godfrew Willis, J. S. Eagles, David Brown, Lewis Davis, Samuel H. Hall, Peter Gause, James Taylor, Henry Taylor, Alfred Bunting, Tony Black, Martin Young, E. M. Queen, and others, are hereby declared a body corporate by the name and style of the Golden Lyre Lodge, number one thousand six hundred and eight, Grand United Order of Odd Fellows, of Wilmington, North Carolina, and by that name shall have perpetual succession and a common seal, may plead and be impleaded, sue and be sued, and in general exercise and enjoy all such rights and privileges as are usually incident and belong to corporate bodies of the same nature.